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In accordance with Rule 56, applicant is aware of the publications listed in the Office action (copy attached) dated May 9, 2006 issued in the corresponding Japanese application and in the attached Patent Office Form PTO/SB/08A. Also attached are copies of all three publications, along with English abstracts.

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